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In re Application of: Jean-Claude BARRIERE, et al.

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For: "PRISTINAMYCIN II<sub>B</sub> DERIVATIVES THEIR PREPARATION AND COMPOSITIONS CONTAINING THEM"

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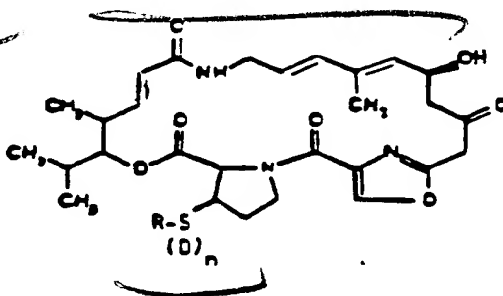
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Sir,

In response to the Office Action mailed August 19th, 1986, would you please amend this application as follows:

Please cancel claims 1 through 12 and add the following new claims:

16. A pristinamycin II<sub>B</sub> of the formula:



in which R denotes

- either a 3-azetidiny, 3-pyrrolidinyl, 3- or 4-piperidinyl or 3- or 4-azepinyl radical each of which is unsubstituted or substituted by alkyl,

- or alkyl of 2 to 4 carbon atoms substituted by 1 or 2 radicals chosen from phenyl, cycloalkylamino of 3 to 6 ring atoms,